



CLARKE COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE 2010 ANNUAL REPORT

MISSION STATEMENT

The mission of the Clarke County Sheriff's Office is to provide the highest level of professional law enforcement service to the citizens of Clarke County, and to all persons with whom we have contact. The employees of the Sheriff's Office are committed to public safety, and will demonstrate this commitment by protecting and enhancing the quality of life, upholding all laws, preserving the peace, and preventing crime. We will perform our duties with compassion and integrity, and maintain high ethical and moral conduct at all times. We will establish a reputation for responsiveness, competency, decisiveness, and equality, all of which will inspire confidence in the Sheriff's Office for all residents of Clarke County.

2010 ACCOMPLISHMENTS

The Clarke County Sheriff's Office was involved in several complex investigations during 2010. Jose Maria Cuevas Gonzalez was apprehended in Mexico, and extradited back to Clarke County to stand trial for murder. Sheriff's deputies continued to assist in the Gail Smith murder investigation, and several arrests were made on related charges in Nottoway County, Virginia. Finally, deputies worked on a Federal Racketeering case involving the Outlaw Motorcycle Club, with an arrest of a Clarke County resident.

In 2010 uniformed deputy sheriffs were responsible for more arrests, and responded to more calls. Two calls involving barricaded subjects were professionally handled with positive outcomes. Uniformed staff was also responsible for the arrest of several daytime burglary suspects.

Our Communications staff implemented a more robust training schedule and made use of our Citizen's Alert System on several occasions. Communications staff and uniformed deputies worked with other county, school, and fire and rescue staff in a comprehensive review of Clarke County's Emergency Operations Plan.

Emergency Operations Center equipment was purchased with grant funding to facilitate the proper response in cases of a major response.

Our volunteer program made significant contributions to the office, logging over 700 hours. This staff assisted with field operations, training, investigations, and information technology.

Finally, although we did not finalize our move or Accreditation, significant progress was made in both these efforts.

2011 GOALS

Our goals for 2011 include an exercise to test the new Emergency Operations Plan and Emergency Operations Center.

The move to the renovated Circuit Court should be completed, which will allow the final review for Accreditation.

Finally, staff will continue to develop our efforts to better serve the citizens of Clarke County.

2010 STATISTICS

Calendar Year	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010
Total Arrests*	596	741	451	399	458
Civil Process (Subpoenas, Custody Orders, etc.)	3,699	2,825	3,276	3,131	3,073
Calls for Service (Sheriff's Office)	10,532	10,976	10,180	10,782	11,795
Motor Vehicle Accidents with Property Damage	268	294	243	274	277
Motor Vehicle Accidents with Personal Injury	110	119	96	110	103
Traffic Stops	3,475	4,071	4,092	3,791	5,358
Calls for Service (911 Emergency Services)	19,198	20,215	19,670	20,057	20,477

*A change in reporting practices between calendar year 2007 and calendar year 2008 accounts for 200 less reported arrests. Our office no longer tracks arrests for traffic violations that could lead to incarceration, with the exception of Driving Under the Influence (DUI).

2010 ARRESTS

Primary Offense	Juvenile Arrests	Adult Arrests	Total Arrests
Murder/Non-negligent Manslaughter	0	1	1
Robbery	0	1	1
Aggravated Assault	1	7	8
Simple Assault	3	9	12
Intimidation	1	0	1
Burglary/Breaking and Entering	0	4	4
Shoplifting	0	4	4
All Other Larceny	0	7	7
Counterfeiting/Forgery	0	2	2
Welfare Fraud	0	1	1

Stolen Property Offenses	0	1	1
Destruction/Damage/Vandalism of Property	0	3	3
Drug/Narcotic Violations	1	14	15
Weapon Law Violations	1	5	6
Bad Checks	0	4	4
Disorderly Conduct	0	1	1
Driving Under the Influence	0	47	47
Drunkenness	0	19	19
Family Offenses, Non-violent	0	1	1
Trespass of Real Property	0	8	8
All other Offenses	11	114	125
Transport	1	4	5
Possession of Alcohol	2	7	9
Possession of Tobacco	4	0	4
Illegal Dumping	0	3	3
Detox	0	8	8
Mental Patient	0	2	2
Extradition	0	1	1
Emergency Custody Order	1	2	3
Temporary Detention Order	0	2	2
Animal Control	0	5	5
False Information to Law Enforcement	0	3	3
Drive Suspended	0	32	32
Warrant Service	16	93	109
Total	42	415	457